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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
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 For: **Method and Apparatus for Interleaving DOCSIS Data with an MPEG Video Stream**
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